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CITY ITEMS.

SOME big drives in Mosquito Bars this week at Crawford's; you are bound to need one a little later on if not just now, so take advantage of the cut prices. Third floor,

SHOT HIMSELF IN THE HEAD. Henry Funk Attempted Suicide in Benton Park.

Henry Funk, 57 years old, of No. 2919 Salena street, who is connected with the Henry Funk Tailoring Company of No. 804 Pine street, attempted suicide at Benton Park early yesterday morning. His son, with whom he resides, can assign no reason for

whom he resides, can assign no reason for his father's act.

Funk was taken to the City Hospital. The doctors say that the wound will prove fatal.

Funk left home as usual shortly after 6 o'clock yesterday morning. Instead of going to work he went to Benton Park, sat down in the tunnel and fired a bullet through his right temple. The ball came out at the top of the head.

After shooting himself, Funk walked to the residence of Mrs. Josephine Sigs of No. 2101 Arsenal street, sat down on the front steps and asked Mrs. Sigs for water with which to wash his wound. After bathing his head Funk walked away and was found lying unconscious a few minutes later at Pestalozzi street and McNair avenue by Officer Severn of the Second District.

He was conveyed in an ambulance to the City Hospital. He regained consciousness for about two minutes at the hospital and told the doctor that he shot himself, but before he could tell why he lapsed into unconsciousness. The weapon used by Funk was a 38-caliber revolver. It was found in his pocket at the hospital with three shells exploded. Funk is a member of the Concordia Turnverch and is secretary of the German Lutheran Church near his home.

Funk's son, Henry, Jr., was at his father's

Funk's son, Henry, Jr., was at his father's bedside last night. He said that his father complained of not feeling well on Saturday, but that he showed no signs of despondency. He said he could not imagine why his father should want to kill himself. EXCURSION TO HERMANN, MO., Sunday, September 2, 1900. Round trip tick-ets \$1.50, including admission to Fair Grounds. Special train leaves Union Station

#### UNIONS WITHDRAW FINE.

Cigarmakers Abandon Plan to Fut More Wagons in Service.

Cigarmakers No. 44 and Cigar Packers No. 281 held a joint meeting at Walhalla Hall and decided to withdraw the fine upon members for riding on transit cars. The cigarmakers have had two wagons

on the street and had voted to increase the number to six. At the meeting at Walhal-la Hall this was abandoned and no further efforts will be made to increase the number It is reported that the Tobacco Workers' Union also has rescinded the fine for riding on transit cars.

#### LAWYER'S SKULL FRACTURED.

He Fell After Scuffling With Rail road Brakeman.

E. L. Carter, a lawyer of this city, who lives in Kirkwood, suffered a fracture of the skull Saturday evening by falling on the grantfold platform of the Kirkwood sta tion of the Missouri Pacific road, Carter had alighted from the train from St. Louis at 5 o'clock. He became involved in an argument about politics with Frank Hincken, a Missouri Pacific brakeman, and a scuffle ensued. A little later Carter staggered to the window in the station agent's office. He asked who had struck him and then suddenly became weak and fell backward, his head striking the granitoid.



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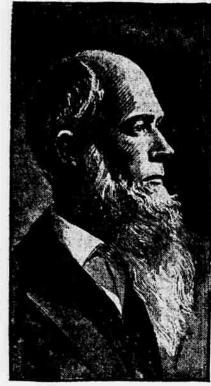
**Farewell Reception to Pastor** and Wife To-Night at Mount Cabanne.

TO BE HEAD OF A SCHOOL.

He Has Accepted the Presidency of Christian College, Canton, Mo.

A farewell reception will be tendered the Reverend Doctor and Mrs. D. R. Dungan at the Mount Cabanne Christian Church tonight. It will be participated in not only by the Mount Cabanne Church but also by all the other Christian churches of the city. The Reverend Doctor S. B. Moore, pastor of the Compton Heights Christian Church, will speak in behalf of the Christian ministry of the city, John Burns in behalf of the old people of the churches, Miss Jennie Taylor in behalf of the young people, and the Christian Woman's Board of Missions also will have a representative. Mrs. Button is to sing a solo, and the Reverend W. W. Dowling will preside. At the close of the reception the ladies will serve refreshments.

The Reverend Doctor Dungan has been paster of the Mount Cabanne Church for two years, and in that time the church has more than doubled in membership and has otherwise greatly prospered. The Doctor has spent many years in educational work, having been connected with the Drake University at Des Moines, Ia., and the Cotner College, Lincoln, Neb. In assuming the County of Russyllie, Ind., a minister of prominence in the Christian Church, will preach at the Mount Cabanne Gurch next Sunday. On the remaining Sundays of September Doctor Dungan will continue to supply the pulpit.



The Reverend D. R. Dungan.

presidency of the Christian College at Can-ton, Mo., he is only returning to a work which has claimed some of the best years

of his life. It is not known as yet who his successor will be, but the Reverend William J. Russell of Rushville, Ind., a minister of prominence

#### POLICE TO APPLY JOHNSON LAW.

Renewed Effort Is to Be Made to Chief Campbell Says That He Will Crush Out the Slot Machine Evil.

President of the Police Board Questions Assistant Prosecutor Johnson's Right to Issue Warrants Under the Newberry Act.

President Harry Hawes of the Police Board has decided that only drastic measures will rid the city of the slot-machine evil, of which the citizens have been complaining so bitterly, and to that end he has taken steps which he hopes will accomplish the end so much desired.

There has heretofore been a difference of opinion among the authorities as to the proper legal method of suppressing the nuisance, with the result that the evil continued to flourish while each of the departments charged with its suppression laid the responsibility for the task on the

The Police Department has held that the Prosecuting Attorney should issue warrants against the operators of the slot machines when the Police Department had collected the evidence and laid it before that official. Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Johnson issued a few warrants against saloonkeepers accused of operating these machines, charging them with a violation of the Newbery law, which is a misdemeanor, carrying a high penalty for conviction. Mr. Johnson, after issuing these warrants, announced that he would issue no more, intimating that the Police Department was not doing its full duty. This aroused the ire of President Hawes of the Police Board, who has compiled a table showing the number of arrests made of operators of slot machines, and the dispo-sition made of each case, to show that the courts, and not the Police Department, is to be taxed with dereliction of duty, if any

In speaking of the misunderstanding between the Police Department and the Pros-ecuting Attorney's office, touching the disposition of the slot machine cases, Mr.

is apparent.

Hawes said yesterday: The Chief of Police informs me that in many cases, where he has arrested the proprictors or operators of these machines he is unable to induce Mr. Johnson to issue warrants. Not only does he refuse to iswarrants of a nature commensurate with the offense charged, but he refuses warrants in cases where the law allows him no discretion in the matter. In the few instances in which he has issued warrants, they have been drawn under the section ommonly known as the Newberry law, which is applicable only to dramshop keep-ers. Under this construction of the law, if Mr. Johnson's theory be correct, a man would not be liable to arrest and conviction for operating one of these slot machines if than a dramshop, which, in view of the nature of the slot machine, is an absurdity.
"The slot machine which is at present operated throughout the city is nothing more nor less, in my opinion, than a roulette machine, and is, consequently, a gam-bling device, and one of the most enticing and dangerous of the many forms of gam-

"Mr. Johnson has been quoted as saying that it was my duty to seize and destroy these machines. I find that my authority to do this is involved in some doubt. have legal advice, which leads me to this opinion, but in order to set the matter at est, I will submit the question to the City Counselor, and will be guided by his reply. I cannot understand, however, why Mr. Johnson should volunteer advise which suggests the destruction of inanimate objects such as the slot machines, when he has it in his power to obviate this course by proceeding against and punishing the individuals who make these gaming machines pos-

ceeding against and punishing the individuals who make these gaming machines possible of operation."

"I shall instruct the Chief to apply tomorrow for warrants against these offenders, under section 2194 of the Revised Statutes, commonly known as the Johnson gambling law, which makes this offense a relony, punishable, upon conviction, by a term of from two to five years in the penitentiary, or from six to twelve months in the county jail."

President Hawes has compiled a statement showing the number of arrests made of operators of slot machines since October 1, 1829, with the disposition made of the cases. There were 221 arrests made in all the districts, of which 159 were in the Central District. Of these 133 paid costs, fifteen were noile prossed, nineteen discharged, nine were fined sums from \$5 to \$25, one was dismissed for want of prosecution, warrants were refused in four cases, and the other cases are still pending.

Bryan-Stevenson Club Formed. The Bryan and Stevenson Club which organized last night at Rinkel's Grove started with a membership of 200 members. J. M. Brining was elected president; vice president, John O'Neill; secretary, Robert O'Brien; treasurer, Adolph Rinkel. The next meeting of the club will be on Wednesday, September 3.

Signs of Every Description. Williamson-Gunning Co., 516 Walnut st.

### POLICE CRUSADE ON PICTURE MACHINES.

Begin the Getting of Evidence To-Morrow.

MR. HAWES IS NOT SATISFIED. ALL OFFICERS INSTRUCTED.

Orders Are to Take Machines and Proprietors Into Court-Devices Are Considered a Menace to Morals of the Young.

Chief of Police Campbell has determined to inaugurate a crusade against the objectionable picture machines to-morrow. President Hawes of the Police Board and the Chief, after a conference Saturday, de cided that if the slot gambling machine is a menace to the morals of the grown-up community, the slot picture machine is intolerable. Thereupon the Chief Issued instructions to his subordinates to obtain evidence against the proprietor of every public resort in which these machines are operated and bring the proprietors and machines

The question as to what constitutes an objectionable picture within the meaning of the statutes will be determined by the courts after the Police Department has first passed upon it. The board has not appointed any moral censor from the ranks of the patrolmen, believing that to be a task of too much magnitude. Each patroiman must act independently and judge each picture by his own canons of art and the standard of morality he has set for himself. The mutoscope, biograph, cinematograph, kinetoscope must all be weighed in the balance of their own individual merit and en-vironment by the blue-coated critic, and his decree is irrevocable until a Judge and jury sits upon it later. Of course, the standard by which the pictures are to be judged is, under these circumstances, as variable as the type of patrolman from which the ranks are recruited, and therein lies the danger to the managers of the mutoscope parlors and the manufacturers and operators of the machine elsewhere.

Whenever a patrolman finds a saloon or other public resort on his beat in which one or more of these picture machines are being operated, it will be his duty to investigate the character of the pictures being exhibited. He will be required to report whether

the pictures in the machine in question are fit to be displayed.

Most of the pictures exhibited in these machines are not sufficiently indecent to entertain the seasoned rounder, but they are suggestive enough to attract the immature youth or the adolescent boy and taint his mind. In the summer gardens and other resorts frequented by the public, the machines exhibit risque pictures which are accessible to innocent girls who have had no previous hint of their character. In any of these gardens or pariors downtown there can be seen daily five boys peering into the picture machines to one man. Fortunately the women have been warned, by frequent publications, of the nature of the exhibits, and it is rarely that a woman visits one of these places, the victim usually being from the rural districts.

As soon as he has obtained evidence against the operator of one of these machines that the pictures exhibited therein are indecent, a warrant will be applied for by the Chief under the statute, which provides a severe penalty. his mind. In the summer gardens and other

vides a severe penalty. Splendid Offices for Rent.

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BATTLED WITH ASSAILANTS. Fred Jameson Was Waylaid by

Two Men and a Woman. Fred Jameson, 28 years old, living at No

126 South Fourteenth street, was brought to the City Hospital last night suffering from a broken nose.

According to his story, he was walking on Pine street between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets, when two men and a woman grabbed him and dragged him through an alley into a house. There a desperate fight ensued. Jameson, being 6 feet tall and very strong, fought his way out, but not before he had received a blow from a blunt instrument which split his nose from top to bottom. His condition is not serious.

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#### EMPEROR IN SHEN-SI.

French Consul Reports Prince Tuan With Him.

Paris, Aug. 27 .- The French Consul at Shanghai wires that Emperor Kwang Su and Prince Tuan are now in the Province With reference to the missionaries and engineers at Chen-Ting-Fu, southwest of

Pekin, the Consul says that they are as yet

# the Latest Arrivals.

than ever before. sented, and there is an unusual number of new buyers in the market, who are making their first visit to St. Louis. Jobbers also

working their employes night and day to bers are equally as busy.

dous business, and say that collections were never better throughout the South and West. the various local jobbing-houses will be held next Tuesday, and there is considerable rivalry among the different houses to see who can bring out the most striking and beautiful effects in hats. Some of the

At the previous opening a majority of the milliners who attended were from the Southern States, where the season is earlier than here, but next week milliners from all of the surrounding States will be

Names of New Visitors.

Among those who registered at the head quarters of the association yesterday were the following:

Missouri — L. H. Coleman, Warrensburg; Louis Litman and Mrs. L. Litman, Richmond; I. K. Hydor, Cuba; Bertie Gosmy, Sue Pugn and L. McWilliams, La Beile; N. N. Rice and I. B. Blakemore, Kennett; Miss Vila Marquis and Miss Mona Clevenger, Hamitton; Mrs. E. S. Qoilins, Carterville; Emil Drusch, Advance; henry Elfrank, Marble Hill; Edna J. Bacon, Hume; Beil Coneron, Gliffain; Rowena Sweet and Irone Sweet, Vandalla; Rose V. Smith, Memphis; Miss Frankie Swelzer, Cowgill; Mrs. G. F. Goulla, New Florence; Kathryn Claiborne, Springfield; George Himtley and E. L. Huntley, E. dorado Springs, G. E. Underhill and Mrs. G. E. Underhill, Kirksville; George W. Kilmelcer, Foristell; A. L. Palmer, Lebamon; E. G. Lacomis, Lexington; H. P. Woodsiner, Richmond, Mrs. H. M. Elms, Lipton; Mrs. J. B. McIntosa, Furdy, Mrs. H. Saens and B. Well, Kennett; A. R. Guyer, Kansas City; Ed. C. Nischwitz, California, N. J. Holt, Bolivar; J. D. Livingston, Windsor; H. Carp, Aurora; D. G. Campbeil, Kansas City; A. K. Taylor, Witton; C. W. Tolin, St. Louis, Telexas—John Pitlet, St. Joe; S. Jarvis, Troupe; E. M. Bull, Corsicana; T. B. Meeks, W. W. Cumbie, Mineo, a. J. A. Hatcher, Lewisville; A. T. Pilphrey, Collowellie; H. D. Clark, Mineral Wells; John Clark, Weatherford; P. M. Caraway, Sherman; M. Rosenfield, Tyler; B. B. Clarkensby, Odessa; L. Schorpi, Groesbuck, D. Kemp, Cameron; Paul Cluck, Eigin; T. W. Neyland, Trinity; J. J. Williams, Jacksonville; I. B. Shaw, W. M. Shaw, Sherman, H. F. Cook, Amanda Cook, Sequin; J. C. Davis, Mrs. E. C. Newton, Garianni; J. M. Hammond, Lancaster; T. W. Garrison, San Angelo; J. Soohen, Megregor; Mrs. Georgie L. West, Haskeli; Solidiam, Groesbeck; A. P. Hall, Burnett; R. I. Crist, Groesbeck; S. Hirsch, Nacogodohes, R. H. Tallay, Taylor, F. Gordon, H. L. Knight, L. F. Gordon, H. L. Knight, L. F. Gordon, Elmandi; J. T. Smith, Pilot Point; J. C. Comnor, Parmersville; P. O. McRimmons, Fort Worth;

G. C. Sarrick, Concordia; G. Weileisneter, Sinth Gerfer,
ARKANSAS-Lee Armstrong, B. L. Poynor,
Clarksville; Jessie Green, Benton; Joyce Baird,
Fort Smith; A. W. Rives, Ozark; L. H. Sternheimer, R. Sternheimer, Jonesboro; Annie Laurie Sherman, Camden; D. M. McGehee, Mulberry; J. C. Hayes, Nowport; D. H. Jacobi, M.
Stern, Little Rock; Mrs. M. A. Dickinson, Earden; Pearl E. Hale, Mrs. D. F. Harris, Junction
City; J. H. McLehn, Alius; Bert Norwood, Little Rock; J. S. Tyson, Eureka Springs; J. E.
Hicks, Little Rock,
NEBRASKA-Hattie V. Eiser, Nebraska City;
Avgusta Worden, Ansley; Geo. Aligaler, Tecumseh.

Superb Diamond Tinras.

Mermod & Jaccard's window at the corner of Broadway and Locust is attracting extraordinary attention. The diamonds are exquisite, and the mountings are extremely artistic. To see them is well worth a special ourney. Nothing so beautiful and artistic has been seen in St. Louis before. The prices of these brilliant jewels range from \$1,000 to \$4,000.

#### SUABIANS' SECOND DAY. Continuation of the Celebration at

thousand persons were in attendance. The programme of Sunday was repeated, with a few exceptions. The park was opened to the public at 10 a. m., music being furnished by Schillinger's Orchestra. At 3 p.

society and thirty-two flower girls with wreaths.

The procession moved to the harvest column, which was artistically arranged and draped with vari-colored fruits. Here the address of welcome was made by President William Seeger and the marriage ceremony was repeated. At 4 o'clock the children's dance was given in the same manner that characterized the performance of Sunday, and at 5 o'clock the hare chase by the historical seven Sushians was repeated. In the evening came the grand festivities of the court and guests, and the entertainment closed with a magnificent pyrotechnical display.

Pekin, the Consul says that they are as yet Vigo and vitality are given to the whole uninjured, but that their position is critical.

#### NEW CROWDS OF BUYERS COMING.

HEAVY TRADE IN ALL LINES.

States, Though Texas Still Holds the Lead-Names of

As usual at this season of the year, the najority of visiting merchants are from Texas, but the other States are well reprereport that they have sold more large oills of goods this season than ever before. All of the wholesale dry goods houses are

keep up with their orders, and notion dealers, clothing manufacturers and shoe job-Millinery jobbers are all doing a tremen

Among those who registered at the headquarters of the association yesterday were

Kare.
COLORADO-G. E. Drury, Denver.
(HIO-Katheyrn Howman, Euclid; Nellie Bowman, Euclid; Ethel De Claire, Cleveland,
OKLAHOMA TERRITORY-Mrs. G. Gratzer,
Shawnee; W. Y. Tenn; son, Mamie Beal, Ponca
City; Frank Foster, Blackwell; S. S. Sternberg,
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MISSISSIPPI—Ada Wynn, Tupelo.

INDIAN TERRITORY—N. R. Webb, Marietta;
Mrs. M. B. Church, Clarkmore; Kathleen Bryant,
Tallequab; A. B. Carile, Campbell; A. R. Wilson, Chickasha; Peter T. Long, Duncan,
LOUISIANA—C. Selmatzberry, Shreveport; M. Hoisch, Monroe. MINNESOTA-Miss Mary Hynes, Winnebago

A magnificent display of diamond tiaras in

Lemp's Park. The second day's celebration of the eighteenth grand festival of the St. Louis Suabian Benevolence Society was held vesterday at Lemp's Concordia Park. Several

m. there was a grand parade around the grounds, headed by a band in Susbian cos-tume, which was followed by officers of the society and thirty-two flower girls with

Active Preparations Under Way for Second Fall Millinery Openings Next Week.

More Merchants From Near-By

There was another rush of buyers to St. Louis yesterday, and the number of arrivals at the headquarters of the Interstate Merchants' Association was greater

The second "fall millinery openings" of best designers in the country are at work in the local trimming-rooms, and the display of pattern hats will be on a more ex tensive scale than ever before.

present to select their fall stocks.

Names of New Visitors.

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ILLINOIS — Hattle Scott, Carbondale; Myrtle Evett, Cobden; Mrs. J. W. Chapman, Casey; Tattle Tumelson, Yale; Miss Julia Dunaway, Marion; Miss Ida Ganges, Alsey: Elizabeth D. Cane, Pana; Mary Lingenfelter, Clay City; Miss J. M. Biby, Pickneyville; Mrs. J. H. Boehen, Kare.

Paymee,
IOWA—Nellie Kumick, Webster City, Mrs. E.
Schuck, Ed E. Schuck, Decoral; Miss Eva
Busman, Laporte City; August Pefs, Cedar Rapids: Miss Lena Schubert, La Porte City; Miss L.
Davis, Corydon; M. Glucklich, Perry,
KANSAS—Leo Brum, Galenn; Miss Alice Jenkirs, Hiawatha; Faye Clark, El Dorado; Charles
Arends, Marysville; F. S. Rodecker, Fort Scott;
Mrs. Nora Dunn, Mrs. M. C. Raxter, Garden
City; L. E. Robinson, Oswego; Kate L. Martin,
Marlon; Nettie Harkness, Prescott; Mrs. D. G.
Campbell, Oberlin; L. J. Van Alstine, Oswego;
G. C. Sarrick, Concordia; G. Wellelshofer, Smith
Center.

ALABAMA-Miss Anna Loftin, Eufaula.

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#### SOME INCREASED. STRAIN OF NURSING

What the Completed Abstract of Seventeen-Year-Old Ida Knepper Valuations by State Board of Equalization Shows.

OTHERS DECREASED.

REVENUE IS \$15,007.67 LESS. SHE DIED IN AN AMBULANCE.

Steam Railroads Are Put \$176,-482.31 Higher, While St. Louis Transit Company Is Decreased \$945,758.19.

The abstract of the items in the report of the State Board of Equalization, which Deputy City Register Gutweller has been preparing in the last week, will be finished today. The totals taken from the abstract, compared with last year's, show a decrease in valuation of \$769,624.34 and a decrease in revenue of \$15,607.67.

The railroad valuations have been in creased \$176,482.31. The street railway valuations have been decreased \$945,758.19 and the telegraph valuations \$348.46. The steam railroad increases are borne entirely by the Terminal Railroad Association, the Wiggins Ferry Company and the Wabash. street railway decreases were effected in St. Louis Transit Company valuations.

year closing September 1, 1900, is \$21,510,818.75, as compared to \$22,280,443.09 for last year, a decrease of \$769,624.34. The rate of taxation is \$1.95 for each \$100.

The revenue is appropriated as follows: Fifteen cents of the \$1.95 received for taxation are for State revenue; 10 cents for State interest; 40 cents for school tax; 2 cents for the Public Library, and \$1.28 for

The total valuation, as equalized for the

municipal purposes.

This year's revenue, therefore, would be divided as follows: State revenue, \$32,266.23 State interest, \$21,510.81; school tax, \$86,-043.27; Public Library, \$4,302.16, and Municipal purposes, \$270,147.62.

Herewith is the complete table of railroad, ailway, bridge and telegraph valuations for this year: Missouri Pacific Railway..... Oak Hill Branen. Merchants' Bridge Railroad... I risco Plansfer Railway Wiggins Ferry Company
Libuls, Kookuk and Northwestern
United Railways Company
Broadway Libe
Scuthwestern Libe st. Louis Traction Company Baden Line St. Louis and East St. Louis Line... Suburban Meramec Division Wabash St. Louis Bridge. Merchants' Bridge

scuri Pacific, 31,347.11; from Mountain, 31,794.65; Colorado, 396.78; Merchants Eridge Hailway, 32,611.32; Frisco, 31,885; St. Louis, Keokuk and Northwestern, 31,422.83; Western Union, 35,274.59, and St. Louis Transit Company, 393,443.69; In-creases—Transfer Railway, 394,674.60; Terminal Railway, 334,884.01; Suburban, 34,815.05; Merameo Division, 32,869.30; Wabash, 3464.39; and Missouri District Telegraph, 31,595.70. ATTORNEY GENERAL'S STATEMENT. REPUBLIC SPECIAL Jefferson City, Mo., Aug. 27.— Attorney General E. C. Crow to-day gave out a state-ment relative to the valuation of railway and bridge property in St. Louis. "The assessment this year," he says, "for the street railways of St. Louis was ordered

made by the board just as it was last year. I moved to increase the assessment over that of last year 331-3 per cent, and the motion was lost. See record State Board of Equalization for 1900, page 246. The distribution of the amount of the assessment was rot made by the plant is recorded. not made by the clerk in extending it as it was last year, but the amount of the as-sessment for the St. Louis street railways was practically the same as last year." Special Offer in Calling Cards. This week only, 100 finest engraved calling

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cards and copper plate for \$1.00; 100 cards

For Ten Years Superintendent of City Hospital. Doctor D. V. Dean, who acted as Superin tendent of the City Hospital for ten years, beginning in 1876, died Sunday in the City Insane Asylum of ocdema of the brain. The body was incinerated yesterday in the ans-souri Crematory.

Doctor Bean had a long and brilliant rec-ord as Superintendent and as a private prac-titioner, and to him was conceded the honor of being one of the pioneer bacteriologists of the West. He was 70 years old and had been a resident of St. Louis for nearly forty years. He is survived by his widow and two children. ody was incinerated yesterday in the Mis-

years. He is survived by his widow and two children.

In 1884 an investigation into certain charges against him as an official was held, first by the Board of Health and later by the House of Delegates, resulting in his vindication. He returned to private practice in 1886 and was elected to the Zoard of Trustees of Beaumont Medical College, in which institution he became professor of physiology. His mind gave symptoms of weakening in 1896, and in December of that year he was taken to the Insane Asylum.

Not Sold in Paris. Not sold in Paris.

If you are going to the World's Fair at Paris this year you should by all means take with you a bottle of Cnamberlain's Colle, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It is not sold in Paris, and is almost certain to be needed on the trip. After you have called in a French physician and paid him for his services, and paid for the medicine he prescribes, you will realize how much a little bottle of this remedy is worth when you are 3,000 miles or more from home and you are 3,000 miles or more from home an

Fort Worth, Tex., Aug. 27.—The Legisla-tive Committee of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers is in session here. But little was done to-day, as all of the members have not yet arrived. Much opposition is developed to the Hogg constitutional amendments adopted at Waco, and a resolution expressing this sentiment will probably be adopted.

Washington, Aug. 22.—The President has appointed the following Postmasters:
Iows—Audoban, Harper W. Wilson; Mason City, Joseph A. Farrell.
Missouri — Bethany, Edgar W. Prentiss;
Excelsior Springs, William E. Templeton.
Texas—Conroe, William Rogers.

# PARENTS WAS FATAL.

Collapsed When They Became Convalescent.

End Came While She Was on the Way to the Hospital-The Family Lives in East St. Louis.

A pathetic case of childish devotion to parents was brought to the notice of Supervisor John Wheeler of East St. Louis,

A young girl nursed her parents through a long siege of sickness, while so ill herself that she was hardly able to walk, until at last the strain proved too great and she collapsed, and died in an ambulance while on the way to the hospital. In the rear of No. 410 Trendley avenue,

East St. Louis, live James Knepper and his family. About two months ago, Knepper became ill from diphtheria. He is a laborer, and the little store of money in the house, consisting of the last week's wages Knepper had earned, soon dwindled to nothing. Then Mrs. Knepper became ill from the same disease. The family was nearly destitute. There was no money to buy medicines or food, but Knepper, who had always kept his family above want by dint of hard labor, scorned to call on the

nursing her parents fell upon 17-year-old Ida, but she accepted it without a murmur. stay all night with the sick couple, but neighbors, especially when they are hardworking people, do not like to sit up nights with the sick, so Ida was up day and night for nearly a month At last her parents became convalescent

and Ida's burden was considerably lessened.

The burden of keeping the house and

city officials for aid.

But the strain she had undergone was too much for a constitution no stronger than a child's, and Sunday she collapsed. When he saw that the life of his daughter was at stake, Knepper consented to call the city physician. Doctor De Courcy arrived, and soon saw that Ida had worked and nursed her sick parents long after she should have been in bed herself, and decided that it was best that she should go to the hospital. An ambulance was summoned and the sick girl, now unconscious was placed in it. When the hospital was

reached she was dead. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon, the body being buried in the City Cemetery. The Kneppers now have but one child, a daughter 7 years old.

NEW LOOP CAUSES A SUIT. Missouri-Edison Opposes the Tran-

sit Company. The Missourt-Edison Electric Company applied to the Circuit Court yesterday for an injunction to restrain the St. Louis Transit Company from laying tracks over or on both sides of a manhole at the northeast corner of Broadway and Locust street.

east corner of Broadway and Locust street. An order to show cause why the relief prayed for should not be granted was issued by Judge Talty, returnable to-morrow. A temporary restraining order is to prevail in the meantime.

The petition alleges that the St. Louis Tansit Company has torn up the surface of the street around the manhole and is proceeding to build railroad tracks over and upon it, cutting off a part of the same and destroying and preventing access to the manhole. The latter is used by the plaintiff and several other light and power companies, it is stated. The suit is brought in the interest of the plaintiff and any others who wish to join in the proceedings.

The transit company is putting in a switch to connect the Broadway and Locust street tracks.

Westerners in New York.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. New York, Aug. 27.—Hotel arrivals to-day include the following visitors from the West: New York, Aug. 21.—Hotel arrivals to-day include the following visitors from the West:

St. Louis—A. T. West, R. E. Collins, M. T. Collins, M. R. Collins, Holland; Mrs. C. L. Royce, H. Vensonhaler, S. W. Erner, A. L. Kemper, Herald Squarer; G. A. Rubelmann, D. C. Boardley, W. B. Kinealy, T. A. Meysenburg, Fifth Avenue; R. Hoyt, E. R. Hoyt, J. C. Craig, Murray Hill; N. Frank, M. I. Ryan, Hoffman; L. Schaeffer, G. Schaeffer, Earlington; W. H. Wessing, T. E. Upshaw, Jr., St. Denis; W. E. Brown, H. H. Oehle, Grand Union; A. S. Dollus, J. Boyle, H. C. McGuire, Empire; W. F. Glesecke, R. J. Schneppe, Manhattan; W. M. Ledbetter, A. Moore, E. Meyers, Normandie; F. C. Besch, H. H. Wilson, Grand; W. O. Gunison, Waldorf; C. Schraubstadter, Imperial; A. Manheimer, Vendome; Miss M. Fox, New Amsterdam; S. H. Jacobson, Broadway Central; I. Fuchs, Belvedere; J. Weaver, Victoria; A. Miller, Gilsey; W. F. Kirkpatrick, Bartholdl; J. M. Elledge, Union; J. D. Fraser, Cadillac; E. M. Jordan, Plaza; L. Glaser, Savoy; E. D. Bartholomew, Astor: Mrs. L. R. McAnally, Colonnade; C. E. MacDonald, Continental.
Kansas City—Mrs. Judah and Miss Judah, Marlborough; F. C. Niles, I. J. Ringolsky, Imperial; E. P. Allen, J. D. Snively, Gilsey; W. B. Thomas, Herald Square; C. P. Johnson, Ashland; Miss H. McElroy, Herald Square.
St. Joe—Miss M. Dimmitt, Mrs. J. A. Johnston, Holland; G. Leery, Herald Square.

The Two Eyes Eat Alike In all cases, and different lenses are required. Doctor Bond, expert optician at Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway and Locust, xamines each eye separately and fits them

ecordingly. No charge for examination. Steel frames, \$1 and up; gold, \$5 and up.

DETECTIVE KEELY ON DUTY. Holds Bullets Taken From His

Body as Souvenirs. Detective Jack Keely, who was shot five limes while attempting to arrest "Biddy" Holden and John Julian two months ago, returned to work yesterday. He is appar-

ently as strong as ever.

Detective Keely has four of the bullets which were fired into him as souvenirs of the experience. The fifth missile is still in his body. The doctors were afraid to probe for it in the hot weather. As soon as winter comes an attempt will be made to locate it by means of the X-ray.

YOUNG COUPLE MISSING.

Went to Picnic and Did Not Return. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Metropolis, Ill., Aug. 27.-Saturday night Letha Leech, the 14-year-old daughter of James Leech, a preminent farmer of this

county, went to a picnic with Walter

Cooper, a young man of the same neighbor-hood. They have not been heard from since. It was not discovered that they were missing until Sunday morning, when the girl was expected home and did not come. Great excitement prevails in the neighbor-hood.

Parker's Headache Powders Never Fail To cure Headache, Fevers and Neuralgia. Contain No Bromos. Price, 10c. Boston, Aug. E.—All the officers and com-mittees and many of the lady members of the National Fraternal Congress have arrived here for the sessions of that body,

arrived here for the sessions of that body, which are to open to-morrow.

Among those here are: The president, of Toronto, Vice President Charles E. Bonnell, Chicago; Secretary Treasurer M. W. Sackett, Meadville, Pa.; Past Supreme Master Workman D. H. Shields of Hannibal, Mc. of the A. O. U. W.; Doctor C. R. McCollom, Minneapolis, and about 160 delegates

The principal business to-day was the meetings of the medical and fraternal press sections.

Chairman R. E. Moss of Port Huron. Chairman R. E. Moss of Port Huron, Chairman R. E. Moss of Port Huron.
Mich., presided at the meeting of the medlcal section and read an elaborate address
on "The Medical Features of the Year."
A paper on "Tuberculosis" was read by
Doctor C. R. McCollom of Minneapolis,
Chairman P. S. Stratton of the fraternal

press section presided at the meeting that body.

FOOTPADS' BIG HAUL.

Highwaymen Secured \$7,000 in

Cash and Diamonds. Denver, Colo., Aug. 27 .- Doctor Joseph Baennelt and Mrs. Flora M. Betts, both of this city, while driving in the suburbs late last night, were held up by masked men, who secured over \$7,000 in cash and dia-Mrs. Betts was beaten into insensibility and Doctor Baennelt was very roughly

C. F. Simmons Located in Texas. REPUBLIC SPECIAL Corpus Christi, Tex., Aug. 27.—C. F. Simmons, formerly the St. Louis proprietary medicine man, has permanently located on a ranch here, recently purchased, about sixty miles northeast of Corpus Christi.

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